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ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

Town of Kingston

New Hampshire



For the Year Ending
January 31, 1939

Annual Reports

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, COLLECTOR, TOWN
CLERK, HIGHWAY AGENTS, SCHOOL BOARD,
SCHOOL TREASURER, LIBRARIAN,
LIBRARY TREASURER, TRUSTEES
OF TRUST FUNDS,
FIRE DEPT.

OF THE

Town of Kingston

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE

Year Ending January 31, 1939

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1939

TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

EDWARD B. CLARK

Representative to General Court

WARREN S. KEAY

Town Clerk

RALPH H. BAKE

Selectmen

JESSE D. SHAW

GEORGE B. STEVENS

FRANK W. FOSTER

Supervisors of the Check List

WALTER F. WHITTIER

FRANK CAVARIC

HERBERT NASON

Treasurer

Z. WILLIS KEMP

Tax Collector

GEORGE E. SHAW

Road Agent

ROLAND W. CHENEY

Trustees of the Trust Funds

ROLAND W. CHENEY

ANNIE M. BUNKER

E. CHASE ROWELL

Auditors

RUSSELL M. INGALLS WILBUR S. CLARK

Library Trustees

CHRISTIE BARRETT HELEN J. ANDREWS
Z. WILLIS KEMP

Board of Education

G. AUSTIN KEMP GLADYS MERRICK
R. GRACE BARTLETT

Librarian

GLADYS MERRICK

Police Officers

HARRY L. CARTER (Chief)
GARDNER CONANT MELVIN MARTIN

Fire Wards

EDWARD B. CLARK GEORGE B. STEVENS
FREDERIC S. NICHOLS

Finance Committee

JOHN BAKIE WALTER N. MODLICH
ROLAND W. CHENEY WALTER F. WHITTIER
HARRY S. CLARK WARREN TUCKER
WARREN G. BAKIE ANDREW CHRISTIE
FREDERIC S. NICHOLS SIMEON P. CLARK
E. EVERETT BROWN G. AUSTIN KEMP
WARREN LOCKE

TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Kingston, County of Rockingham, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

[L. S.]

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Kingston on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for Tarvia.
4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$293.74 and the State will contribute \$1,174.94 to be used on Class 5 roads.
5. On petition of Fred E. Kelley and others to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 to be expended for the continuation of the road leading from Fred E. Kelley's to Daniel Senett's.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500.00 for W. P. A. projects.

7. On petition of Mrs Harry S. Clark and others; to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money to install a street light on the west side of the Plains at the corner of Rock Rimmon Road near the Plains School.

8. To see if the Town will appoint a Planning Board of five members to draw up and submit for action a zoning ordinance and building code.

9. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow the sum of \$16,000.00 in anticipation of taxes.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-nine.

JESSE D. SHAW,
FRANK W. FOSTER,
GEORGE B. STEVENS,
Selectmen of Kingston.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JESSE D. SHAW,
FRANK W. FOSTER,
GEORGE B. STEVENS,
Selectmen of Kingston.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual revenue previous year, 1938	Estimated revenue ensuing year, 1939	In- crease	De- crease
FROM STATE:				
Railroad Tax	\$2,140.65	\$2,100.00	.....	40.65
Savings Bank Tax	29.92	30.00	.08	.....
For Fighting Forest Fires	302.53	300.00	.....	2.53
	12.55	12.55	.....	.....
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:				
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	114.50	100.00	.....	14.50
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES:				
(a) Poll Taxes	992.00	975.00	.....	17.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes ..	34.00	34.00	.....	.....
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$3,626.15	\$3,551.55	.08	\$74.68
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES .....	.....	31,784.07	.....	.....
TOTAL REVENUES				

KINGSTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year, February 1, 1939, to January 31, 1940, Compared with
Year, February 1, 1938, to January 31, 1939

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual expenditures previous year, 1938	Estimated expenditures ensuing year, 1939	In- crease	De- crease
CURRENT MAINTENANCE				
Expenses:				
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,192.11	\$1,200.00	\$7.89	.....
Town Officers' Expenses	393.89	400.00	7.11	.....
Election and Registration				
Expenses	178.40	95.00	.....	83.40
Damages and legal expenses ..	331.72	300.00	.....	31.72
Expenses Town Hall and Other				
Town Buildings	443.87	600.00	156.13	.....
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police Department	139.36	100.00	.....	39.36
Fire Department	4,265.42	2,000.00	.....	2,265.42
Health:				
Health Department, including				
hospitals	4.50	10.00	5.50	.....
Vital Statistics	13.50	15.00	1.50	.....
Highways and Bridges:				
Town maintenance	2,156.93	2,000.00	.....	156.93
Street Lighting	1,112.60	1,133.52	20.92	.....
General Expenses of Highway				
Department	469.41	550.00	80.59	.....
Snow removal	339.46	1,000.00	660.54	.....
Tarvia	3,096.14	2,500.00	.....	596.14
Libraries:				
Libraries	497.40	375.00	.....	122.40
Tax by law .....	.....	38.70	38.70	.....
Public Welfare:				
Town Poor	2,502.72	2,500.00	.....	2.73
Old Age Assistance	1,332.35	1,500.00	167.65	.....
Patriotic Purposes:				
Memorial Day and Other				
Celebrations	115.83	15.00	.....	100.83
Recreation:				
Parks and Playgrounds, including				
band concerts	81.04	75.00	.....	6.04
Public Service Enterprises:				
Cemeteries	133.75	75.00	.....	58.75
Interest				
On Temporary Loans	213.34	210.00	.....	3.34
On Long Term Notes	285.00	190.00	.....	95.00
On Principal of Trust Funds used				
by Town	356.10	356.10	.....	.....
OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION				
AND PERM. IMPROVE.				
Highways and Bridges:				
State Aid Construction—Town's				
Share,	1,181.29	.....	.....	1,181.29
Town Road Aid .....	.....	293.74	293.74	.....
New Equipment	650.00	.....	.....	650.00
Indebtedness:				
Payment on Principal of Debt:				
Long Term Notes	2,000.00	2,000.00	.....	.....
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERN-				
MENTAL DIVISIONS:				
State Taxes	1,608.00	1,800.00	192.00	.....
County Taxes	3,842.44	4,000.00	157.56	.....
Payment to School Districts—	10,500.00	10,003.56	.....	496.44
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$39,435.58	\$35,335.62	\$1,789.83	\$5,889.79

ESTIMATED TOWN CHARGES FOR 1939

Town officers' salaries	\$1,200.00
Town officers' expenses	400.00
Election and registration	95.00
Town Hall account	600.00
Fire department	625.00
Forest fires	100.00
Police department	100.00
Health department	10.00
Vital Statistics	15.00
Street Lighting	1,133.52
Parks and playgrounds	75.00
Cemeteries	75.00
Library	375.00
Tax by law for Library	38.70
Interest	756.10
Town poor	2,500.00
Old age assistance	1,500.00
General expense	550.00
Memorial Day	15.00
Damages and legal expenses	300.00
Town maintenance	2,000.00
Snow	1,000.00
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	\$13,463.32

REPORT OF TOWN MEETING, MARCH 8, 1938

Meeting was called to order at 9:15 A. M. by the Moderator, Edward B. Clark.

The check list was sworn by the Supervisors and the following ballot clerks appointed and sworn in by the Town Clerk: E. Chase Rowell, Edward A. Colcord, Arthur P. Tucker and John E. Barrett.

Voted that the polls remain open for voting until 6:45 P. M.

Proceeded to ballot for Town officers.

Polls closed at 6:45 P. M.

Town meeting called together at 8:15 P. M.

Voted to lay articles 1 and 2 on the table and take up article 3.

Article 3. The report of the finance committee was read recommending the raising of \$19,494.99 to defray town charges.

Voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$19,494.99 to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. Warren G. Bakie, clerk of the finance committee, explained articles 3 and 4 and stated that only approximately one-third of the money called for under Article 3 would be needed to complete the Crowley Falls road. Selectman George B. Stevens read a letter from the State Highway Department indicating that the unexpended balance from this appropriation could be used on Class V roads.

Voted as recommended by the finance committee, That the town accept State Aid for road construction on the Crow-

ley Falls road, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,168.50, the State to contribute \$2,336.00.

Art. 5. Voted that balance remaining from the appropriation under article 4 be used on Class V roads.

Art. 6. Report of the finance committee read, recommending that the sum of \$3,000.00 be raised for Tarvia.

Voted as recommended by the finance committee, that the sum of \$3,000.00 be raised and appropriated for Tarvia.

Art. 7. Report of the finance committee was read recommending that the sum of \$300.00 be raised for W. P. A. projects.

Voted that the sum of \$500.00 be raised and appropriated for W. P. A. projects.

Art. 8. Report of the finance committee was read recommending that the sum of \$3,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a fire truck.

Motion was made and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the purchase of a fire truck.

Amendment made and seconded that the vote be by ballot. Amendment was voted and carried.

A roll call on the Question was demanded by George B. Stevens.

Moderator declared that the vote would be by roll call. An argument as to the legality of permitting a roll call to supersede vote by ballot ensued.

To restore order in the meeting, it was voted to reconsider the question. The vote was by show of hands, and the result was—Yes, 91; No, 60.

Moderator declared that there was now no motion before the meeting.

Selectman George B. Stevens demanded a vote on the original motion by roll call.

Proceeded to vote on the motion. The Town Clerk read the roll from the official check list. The result of the vote showed as follows—Yes, 147; No, 79.

Art. 9. Voted as recommended by the finance committee to pass over article 9.

Art. 10. Voted as recommended by the finance committee, that this article passed without an appropriation, and that a part of the balance remaining from article 4 be used for road construction on the North Danville road in front of the residence of Mr. Harlow.

Art. 11. Voted as recommended by the finance committee, that this article be passed without appropriation, and that a part of the balance remaining on article 4 be used for road construction on the road from Fred Kelley's to Daniel Swett's.

Art. 12. Voted to pass over article 12 and take up article 13.

Art. 13. Voted that a discount be allowed on taxes paid in full before August 15th, at the same rate of interest as the Town pays for money which it borrows.

Art. 14. Voted, as recommended by the finance committee, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the celebration of the Ratification of the Federal Constitution by the State June 21, 1938. Said sum to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Art. 15. Voted, as recommended by the finance committee that the Selectmen and Treasurer be authorized to borrow a sum not to exceed \$16,000.00 in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 16. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to use \$50.00 appropriated in 1929 for the purchase of a Town dump.

Voted that the report of the Welfare Agent be published annually.

Voted that a committee of five be appointed to advise with the Selectmen on the purchase of the fire truck. Said committee to be appointed by the Moderator and comprise the following: one Selectman, one member of the Fire department, one member of the Finance committee, and two representative citizens of the Town.

The following committee was appointed:

George B. Stevens, Selectman;
 Arthur P. Tucker, Member of the Fire Dept.;
 Andrew Christie, Member of the Finance Com.;
 Roland Cheney, West Kingston;
 Philip Flanders, South Kingston.

Voted that next year the finance committee submit to the Town meeting, an estimate of the tax rate for the ensuing year.

Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to have all junk dealers require a license, before doing business in Town.

Voted that previous vote permitting local organizations to use the Town Hall free, be rescinded, and that the Selectmen be authorized to rent the hall for a price that will bring revenue to the Town.

Motion made and seconded that out of town people be charged \$10.00 per night for use of the hall, and local organizations have use of the hall for payment of costs.

Motion not carried.

Voted to return to counting of ballots at 11:00 P. M.

Town meeting closed at 12:45.

Following is the result of the balloting for Town officers:

Total number of votes cast	455
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<i>Town Clerk</i>	<i>Votes</i>
Ralph H. Bake had	367

Selectmen

Herbert Bake had	180
Walter Chubuck had	45
Frank Foster had	216

Town Treasurer

Laburton G. Cilley	207
Z. Willis Kemp had	217

Tax Collector

Clinton A. Avery had	160
George E. Shaw had	293

Road Agent

Roland W. Cheney had	336
Errol E. Rolfe had	113

Auditors

Russell M. Ingalls had	282
Wilbur Clark had	49

Chief of Police

Harry L. Carter had	375
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Police Officers

Gardner H. Conant had	351
Melvin E. Martin had	365

Janitor of the Town Hall

J. Newton Brown had	105
William D. Cornish had	86
Louis A. Lamont had	51
E. Paul Pray had	181

Trustees of Trust Fund

E. Chase Rowell had	357
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Fire Wards

Edward B. Clark had	318
Frederic S. Nichols had	333
George B. Stevens had	336

Library Trustee

Z. Willis Kemp had	321
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Sexton of the Cemetery

James A. Lyford had	361
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Sealer of Weights and Measurer

Guy W. Warren had	344
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Liabilities

Parsonage Fund	\$5,300.00
Elkins School Fund	1,260.00
Town Hall notes	4,000.00
Balance due schools	5,837.13
Temporary loan	4,000.00
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	\$20,297.13

Assets

Cash in Treasury	\$1,260.13
Uncollected taxes, 1936	329.20
Uncollected taxes, 1937	1,179.47
Uncollected taxes, 1938	858.72
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	\$3,627.52
Net Indebtedness, January 31, 1938.....	\$18,495.09
Net Indebtedness, January 31, 1939.....	16,669.61
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Decrease in debt	\$1,825.48

INVENTORY

For Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1939

Resident

Real estate	\$436,396.00
28 horses	2,765.00
1 ox	40.00
107 cows	5,875.00
11 neat stock	375.00
4 goats	20.00
10 hogs	150.00
24,005 hens	21,604.50
11,000 broilers	3,300.00
1,000 roosters	600.00
Wood and lumber	150.00
Fuel tanks	200.00
Mills and machinery	1,650.00
Stock in trade	8,675.00
	\$781,800.50

Non-Resident

Electric Plants	\$39,687.14
Real estate	257,225.00
Wood and lumber	3,255.00
Stock in trade	625.00
5 cows	175.00
2 horses	150.00
1 motorboat	100.00
Locks and canals	5,750.00
14 gas pumps	1,135.00
	\$308,102.14

Total valuation	\$789,902.64
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LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

School houses	\$4,000.00
Firemen's Hall	1,000.00
Fire pumpers and trucks	5,000.00
Nichols Memorial Library and books	15,000.00
Town Hall and furnishings	30,000.00
Town lock-up	500.00
Town tools	500.00
Old tractor	300.00
New tractor	3,000.00
Road grader	200.00
Storage building, Bartlett street	350.00
Dump truck	650.00
Taxes on property taken by Town	400.00

TREASURER'S REPORT

From February 1, 1938 to February 1, 1939

The Treasurer charges himself with money received from all sources \$55,612.61

Distributed as follows:

From the Treasurer of 1937	1,951.64
From the Tax Collectors of 1935, 1936, 1937.	1,567.63
From the Tax Collector of 1938, taxes collected and sold	33,953.81
From Rockingham National Bank, cash on note	12,000.00

From the Treasurer of New Hampshire:

Tax and Interest Dividend	\$2,140.65
Abatement on State Road cost	324.27
Rental of Town truck on State Road work	320.13
Savings Bank Tax	302.53
Abatement on State Tax	234.94
Rebate on Welfare	217.67
Rebate on W. P. A.	35.50
Railroad Tax	29.92
Rebate on Forest Fires	12.55
Rebate on Gasoline	1.52
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	\$3,619.68

From the Selectmen

Land sold on tax deeds	239.52
Tarvia sold by Roland W. Cheney	124.49
Rent of Town Hall	102.00
Money left by the will of the late Nellie P. Marshall for perpetual care of the family lot in Village Cemetery	100.00

Rent of Firemen's Hall	12.50	
Sale of surplus dynamite	8.75	
Rental of concrete mixer by Roland W. Cheney, Road Agent	4.00	
Money received by the Road Agent for work done on private prop- erty after the hurricane	4.00	
		<hr/> \$595.26
From George B. Stevens, return of his salary as director of W. P. A. work		390.50
From the Town Clerk:		
Auto Taxes and Permits	1,143.95	
Dog Licenses	316.69	
Filing fees	23.00	
		<hr/> \$1,483.64
From checks returned unpaid		50.45
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Total receipts		\$55,612.61
The Treasurer has paid:		
All orders drawn by the Selectmen	\$54,203.40	
Two worthless checks	146.00	
Cost on protested checks	3.04	
One check overdrawn .....	.04	
Cash on hand, January 31, 1939..	1,260.13	
		<hr/> 55,612.61
Greenwood Cemetery Fund:		
Received from the Treasurer of 1937	\$285.83	
Received for two half-lots sold.....	27.50	
Interest on bank deposit	7.46	
		<hr/> \$320.79

Respectfully submitted,

Z. WILLIS KEMP,
Treasurer.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For the Fiscal Year, February 1, 1938 to January 31, 1939

Receipts

Automobile permits, 1938	\$1,106.74
Automobile permits, 1939	37.21
Dog licenses, 1937	16.00
Dog licenses, 1938	300.69
Filing fees (primaries)	4.00
Filing fees (town election)	19.00
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Total receipts	\$1,483.64
Paid Treasurer	1,483.64

Salary, Fees and Expenses

Fee for issuing 406 auto permits....	\$101.50
Fee for issuing 121 dog licenses ...	24.20
Fee for recording 61 Vital Statistics..	\$15.25
Salary	50.00
Copying invoice	20.00
Election and primaries	10.00
Expenses and membership City and Town Clerks' Association	9.50
Postage, telephone, etc.	12.68
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Total	\$243.13
Received from Treasurer	\$243.13

RALPH H. BAKE,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Total amount committed to me for collection for the year
1938 as per Selectmen's Warrant:

Resident and non-resident	\$33,209.90
Polls	1,012.00
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	\$34,221.90
Less property abatements	\$270.06
Less poll abatements	52.00
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	322.06
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	\$33,899.84
Less discount allowed	258.83
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	\$33,641.01
Interest added	33.27
Property tax added	98.49
Added polls	44.00
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	\$33,816.77
Paid Treasurer	33,804.77
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Unpaid polls	\$12.00
Unpaid polls collected since books closed.....	12.00

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. SHAW,
Collector of Taxes.

1938 UNPAID TAXES

Henry E. Hayes	\$5.25
William MacMonagle Estate	1.05

Abbie S. Moore .....	.42
Grace M. Johnson .....	.84
Perley and Lillian Ramey	69.30
A. T. McKenney	12.60
Clarence Allen .....	.84
Joseph F. Adams .....	.84
Beatrice Ball .....	.84
George W. Bancroft .....	.84
John J. Comeau .....	.84
Isabelle Fretwell .....	.84
Thomas Fretwell .....	.84
Maude A. Gilchrist .....	.84
Joseph Glish .....	.84
Joseph and Mary Judson .....	.84
Beverly Chamberlain, balance	49.76
G. F. Fellows	4.20
G. F. Langley	45.15
Mrs. C. E. Nokes	4.20
Arthur C. Scribner	4.20
William Bennett	63.00
Ethel L. Warrington	42.00
Roxcena Davis	43.05
Richard Kelley	33.60
John Inglis	33.60
Owen West	12.60
Edward Cheney Estate	33.60
Christina Cheney	2.52
Edward Kimball	147.84
Annie Whittier	14.70
C. N. Hoyt, heirs	14.70
Susan N. Hoyt, heirs	10.50
Pearl Donahue	31.50
Henry B. Gorman	27.30
Mabel E. Melendy	42.00
Chester Clements	8.40
Chester Clements	23.94
Emma Moren .....	.84

William S. Lavin	3.36
William S. Lavin	21.00
Edward H. Pelky	1.26
Lucy B. Shuff .....	.42
Margaret I. Stalker .....	.84
Clara West	12.18
Hannah Zims	1.26

\$831.38

Taxes bought by Town, Jan. 31, 1939	\$858.72
Paid since books closed	27.34

\$831.38

LIST OF ABATEMENTS, 1938

Tidewater Assoc. Oil Co., N. Y. City, overtaxed	\$10.29
Margaret Ross, overtaxed	4.20
Jennie Bagnulo, overtaxed	12.60
E. Diodati, overtaxed	12.60
Norman T. Shephard, overtaxed	8.40
Frank W. Foster, overtaxed	8.40
William Marple, overtaxed	2.10
Henry P. Collins, overtaxed	3.15
Asher B. Arnold, overtaxed	16.80
Mary Peaslee, overtaxed	12.60
C. E. Strout, overtaxed	2.10
William Wood, overtaxed	8.40
Mrs. Henry D. Parker, overtaxed	12.60
Albert Ball, overtaxed	7.35
Gladys George, overtaxed	2.10

\$123.69

Town Deeds due from former Tax Collector:

Properties amounting to	\$146.37
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Abated by Selectmen, Total \$270.06

REPORT OF UNCOLLECTED TAXES FOR 1936-1937

By Clinton A. Avery

1936

Charles West	\$10.75
David Cheney	6.02
Albert Ball	16.13
Ella Flanders	30.10
Paul Pray	32.25
Elizabeth Seavey	6.45
Lucy Winslow, heirs	4.30
William L. Warren	2.15
Archie George Estate	43.00
Perley Ramey	27.95
George Vatter	73.10
Carl Warren	43.00
Roy Bean	1.29
Annungiatio Basso .....	.86
Gertrude Cohen .....	.86
Emma Daniels .....	.43
Alice Gilman .....	.43
Catherine Hart .....	.86
Marghertia Hammer	1.29
George D. Killam .....	.86
William Stantia .....	.86
Salvatore Pampa	8.17
Raymond Tassinari86
Angus Morrison, Jr.	16.13
Joseph Rudier	1.08
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Total	\$329.20

1937

Edward Kimball	\$147.84
Charles West	14.70
Owen West	10.50
Nina Hardy	105.00
Archie George Estate	42.00

Maude Prescott	126.00
J. N. Brown Estate	63.00
Edward Cheney Estate	33.60
Christina Cheney	2.52
Richard Kelley	33.60
Margaret Kenney	4.20
George Kelley	4.20
A. E. Brown	44.10
G. F. Fellows	21.00
C. N. Hoyt Heirs	14.70
William S. Lavin	24.36
Gertrude F. Langley	45.15
C. E. Nokas Estate	4.20
Howard and Maud Page	67.20
Pearl Donahue	23.00
George Vatter	71.40
Joseph Adam .....	.84
Roy Bean	1.26
Beatrice Ball .....	.84
Annungiatio Basso .....	.84
John J. Comeau .....	.84
Isabelle Fretwell .....	.84
Thomas Fretwell .....	.84
Margherita Hammer	1.26
Joseph and Mary Judson .....	.84
Grace M. Johnson .....	.84
George D. Killam .....	.84
Abbie S. Moore .....	.42
Emma Moren .....	.84
Edward Pelkey	1.26
Lucy Shuff .....	.42
Margaret Stalker .....	.84
Clara West	2.18
Anna Young	1.68
Howard Lowe .....	.84
Ella Flanders	29.40
Angus Morrison, Jr.	15.75

Lillian and Perley Ramey	69.30
Elizabeth Seavey	6.30
W. D. Brickett Heirs	15.34
Roxcena Davis	56.91
Albert Ball	7.35
Everett Elkins	12.60
William F. Wing	37.50
Lucy Winslow Heirs	4.20
William Warren	2.10
Raymond Tassinari84
Joseph Rudier	1.05
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Total	\$1,179.47

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

The records of the Kingston Fire Department for the year of 1938 show the smallest total fire loss for a number of years, being but from \$350.00 to \$400.00.

Number of calls in town answered.....	24
Number of calls out of town answered	9
Number of miles covered to fires	176

In accordance with the vote of the Town Meeting of 1937, the committee appointed at that time purchased the truck, so voted, and for which the article set aside the sum of \$3,000.00.

The remainder of purchase price arrived at by the committee to be supplied by the Fire Department Association, from their own funds.

The result was the purchase of the modern dual-pump truck, one pump for use where but small amounts of water are available and a 500 to 600 gallon pump for general use where plenty of water can be reached.

The approximate price of which was \$4,000.00.

The purchase for replacement of about 400 feet of 2½ inch, and 200 feet of 1½ inch hose, together with a new supply of rubber coats, boots, and gloves, bringing up our equipment to a standard of which we may well feel pleased.

We wish to express thanks for the loyal support and for the many courtesies extended to us, and for the co operation of the telephone executives.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE B. STEVENS,
Chief of Department.

FOREST FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

Again in submitting my Annual Report for the records, grateful appreciation is expressed for the fine spirit of co-operation extended by the greater number of the Town's people, our summer population, and visitors. Also the instant response from the Kingston Fire Department, and especially to Mrs. Nellie Lang of the telephone service, whose active relaying of calls between the watch tower and myself, when minutes mean everything in accomplishment and efficiency. With the constant growth of recreation and out-of-doors life, the cooking of food over open fires, a carelessly dropped match or cigarette, the menace from these sources is greater with each season, and to the devotees to these pastimes we wish to urge the employing of special caution.

The maintenance of regular men at the Kingston State Reservation who are at all times available with equipment, much expense is saved which same was in evidence last year.

Number of permits issued	167
Number of fires reported and investigated	67
Number of acres burned over	8-10

Expense

Grass fire (English Place)	\$3.90
Grass fire (Rear of Boys' dormitory)	8.40
Brush fire (Nickols' property, Haverhill road) ..	10.70
Brush fire (West Shore Park)	11.20
Brush fire (Newton Junction District)	11.00
Brush fire (Gaguon road), no charge	
Roadside fire (New Boston road) No. 1, no charge	
Roadside fire (New Boston road) No. 2, no charge	
Brush fire (Back of Half-Moon Pond), no charge	
Grass fire (Chamberlain's field), no charge	

The New Hampshire Forestry and Recreation Department request that we again call attention to the following:

Synopsis of Fire Permit Laws

Penalty for kindling a fire without a permit, \$200, or imprisonment not more than thirty days.

Penalty for kindling a fire wilfully, or in a careless or imprudent manner, \$500, or imprisonment not more than one year.

No person shall kindle a fire upon the land of another without permission from the owner, agent or caretaker thereof.

No person shall kindle a fire or burn any material in or near woodlands, pasture, brush, sprout, waste or cut-over lands, except when the ground is covered with snow, without the written permission of the Forest Fire Warden or the presence of the warden or person designated to superintend such burning.

Any person, firm or corporation causing or kindling a fire without a permit, when a permit is required, and *also any person, by whose negligence or the negligence of his agents any fire shall be caused*, is liable to the town for all expenses incurred in attending or extinguishing such fire.

When the smoke of a fire is picked up by the Tower Watchman in any area where our daily list shows no permits issued, it becomes his duty to report same to Warden and the report must be investigated. With these fires all listed by regular permits and supplied each day to Warden and Watchman much unnecessary travel is avoided and the cost of same saved.

We rely upon your co-operation for our efficiency and service.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR P. TUCKER,
Fire Warden, Kingston District.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1939

	1939 Appropriations	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,200.00	\$1,192.11	\$7.89	.....
Town Officers' Expenses	400.00	393.89	6.11	.....
Election and Registration	165.00	*155.40	9.60	.....
Town Hall	500.00	*341.87	158.13	.....
Police Department	100.00	139.36	.....	\$39.36
Fire Department and Firemen's Hall	1,925.00	*4,203.92	.....	2,278.92
Forest Fires	75.00	*36.45	38.55	.....
Health Department and Vital Statistics	25.00	18.00	7.00	.....
Town Maintenance	2,000.00	2,156.93	.....	156.93
Snow Removal	1,000.00	339.46	660.54	.....
Tarvia	3,000.00	*2,971.65	28.35	.....
Street Lighting	1,133.52	1,112.60	20.92	.....
General Expense	600.00	469.41	130.59	.....
Libraries	458.70	497.40	.....	38.70
Old Age Assistance—Town Poor	4,500.00	*3,600.14	899.86	.....
Memorial Day and other Celebrations	115.00	115.83	.....	.83
Parks and Playgrounds	50.00	81.04	.....	31.04

Cemeteries	100.00	*33.75	66.25	.....
Damage and Legal Expense	300.00	331.72	.....	31.72
W. P. A.	500.00	*570.76	.....	70.76
Interest	941.00	854.44	86.56	.....
Dump Truck .....	.....	*514.40	.....	514.40
Town Hall Notes	2,000.00	2,000.00
State Tax	1,608.00	1,608.00
County Tax	3,842.44	2,842.44
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	\$26,538.66	\$27,580.97	\$2,120.35	\$3,162.66
Net Overdraft	\$1,042.31	\$27,580.97	\$2,120.35

*Signifies net amount.

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town officers' salaries	\$1,192.11
Town officers' expenses	393.89
Election and registration	178.40
Town Hall	443.87
Police department	139.36
Fire department	4,216.42
Forest fires	49.00
Damages by dogs	<u>13.88</u>
Health department	<u>4.50</u>
Vital statistics	<u>13.50</u>
Danville road	182.93
Town maintenance	2,156.93
Snow removal	339.46
Kelly road	242.64
Tarvia	3,096.14
Street lighting	1,112.60
General expense	<u>469.41</u>
Library	<u>497.40</u>
Old age assistance	<u>1,332.35</u>
Town poor	<u>2,502.73</u>
Memorial Day	12.00
Other celebrations	103.83
Parks and playgrounds	81.04
Cemeteries	133.75
Damage and legal expenses	331.72
Taxes bought by town	858.72
W. P. A.	1005.51
Interest	854.44
State aid construction	1,181.29
Dump truck	834.53
Temporary loans	12,000.00

Long term notes	2,000.00
State Tax	1,608.00
County Tax	3,842.44
School district	10,500.00
Schools, dog tax money ,1938 (net)	278.61
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	\$54,203.40

DETAILED STATEMENTS OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

George B. Stevens, Selectman	\$200.00
Frank W. Foster, Selectman	100.00
Jesse D. Shaw, Selectman	100.00
Z. Willis Kemp, Treasurer	100.00
Ralph Bake, Town Clerk	50.00
Ralph Bake, 415 auto permits at \$0.25	103.75
Ralph Bake, 121 dog licenses at \$0.20.....	24.20
George E. Shaw, Tax Collector	494.16
Russell Ingalls, Auditor	10.00
Wilbur Clark, Auditor	10.00
	\$1,192.11

Town Officers' Expenses

George B. Stevens, bonds for town officers	\$52.50
George B. Stevens, mileage and expense	22.50
George B. Stevens, stamps for inventory blanks	9.00
Telephone calls by selectmen	20.85
Frank W. Foster, mileage and expense	31.20
Z. Willis Kemp, stationery, stamps, and tel....	15.87
Ralph Bake, stationery, stamps, and tel.	16.43
Ralph Bake, town clerk's meeting and expense...	9.50
Ralph Bake, copying invoice	20.00
Supplies for selectmen	37.77
Books and supplies for tax collector	14.50
Harry S. Clark, printing tax bills	19.63
George E. Shaw, stamps	21.00
George B. Stevens, day at tax meeting	3.00
Jesse D. Shaw, day at tax meeting	3.00
Frank W. Foster, day at tax meeting	3.00
George E. Shaw, day at tax meeting	3.00

N. H. Assessors' Assoc., dues	2.00
J. H. Foster, repairs on adding machine	13.15
Hazel Shaw making taxes	50.00
Roland Cheney, expenses as trustee of trust funds	10.24
Harry S. Clark, printing for town clerk	4.25
Harry S. Clark, printing for selectmen	11.50
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	\$393.89

Election and Registration

Paul Pray, janitor service	\$18.50
Gardner Conant, police duty	12.00
Melvin Martin, police duty	12.00
Arthur Tucker, ballot clerk	12.00
John Barrett, ballot clerk	12.00
Edward Colcord, ballot clerk	12.00
Chase Rowell, ballot clerk	12.00
Edward Clark, moderator	15.00
Walter Whittier, supervisor of check list	15.00
Frank Cavaric, supervisor of check list	15.00
Herbert Nason, supervisor of check list	15.00
Harry S. Clark, treasurer of the Universalist Society	4.90
Ralph Bake, town clerk	10.00
Harry S. Clark, printing ballots	13.00
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	\$178.40
Received from town clerk, filing fees	23.00
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Net cost	\$155.40

Town Hall

Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co., electricity	\$93.04
George B. Stevens, insurance on hall	212.00
Bake Bros., supplies	16.80
H. J. French, coal	26.00
W. S. Scovell, tuning piano	3.50

Harry Vaughn, window shade	4.50
Edward H. Derrah, sharpening lawn mowers...	4.25
Paul Pray, labor at hall	15.65
Wilfred George, mowing lawn	4.00
Oren Gibson, mowing lawn	3.40
Paul Pray, mowing lawn	15.80
John Simes, repairs	6.60
Iona Page, cleaning hall	13.60
Della Friend, cleaning windows	2.80
Simeon P. Clark, grate for furnace	12.50
Harry S. Clark, supplies	3.80
Alden Nason, hauling wood	2.50
Wilbert Swett, sawing wood	3.13
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	\$443.87
Received for rent of hall	102.00
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Net cost	\$341.87

Police Department

Harding Uniform Co., uniforms	\$10.11
Charles Floyd, police uniforms	129.25
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	\$139.36

Fire Department

Amount due from 1937 appropriation.....	\$300.00
Special appropriation for 1938	300.00
Robert M. Wood, for fire truck	3,000.00
George B. Stevens:	
Insurance on new fire truck	40.00
Insurance on fire truck drivers	249.00
Gilman Insurance Agency, insurance on old fire truck	8.35
W. S. Clark & Son:	
Care and storage of fire trucks	200.00
Gas, oil and supplies	67.61
John Brown, watching fire	2.80

Robert Rock, watching fire	2.80
Charles Hutch, watching fire	2.00
George Kimball, copper for tank	2.80
Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co., for firemen's hall	21.16
Roland W. Cheney, shingles for hall	11.90
Roy Gove, labor on hall	4.00
Labor on hall (Daniel Swett)	4.00
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	\$4,216.42
Rent for firemen's hall	12.50
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Net cost	\$4,203.92

Forest Fires

Païd Arthur P. Tucker, fire warden	\$49.00
Refund from state for forest fires	12.55
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Net cost	\$36.45

Damage by Dogs

John Tucker, burying two dogs	\$2.00
Brown, Saltmarsh Co., dog license tags	7.70
Harry S. Clark, printing dog notices	2.50
Edna Carlton, rebate on dog tax	1.68
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	\$13.88

Health Department

Dr. C. P. F. Joyce, vaccinations, etc.	\$4.50
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Vital Statistics

Ralph Bake, recording births and deaths	\$13.00
Dr. C. P. F. Joyce, recording births and deaths..	.50
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	\$13.50

Street Lighting

Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co.	\$1,112.60
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General Expense

The Witzgall, printing town reports	\$133.30
Walter Gibson, delivering town reports	2.40
Herbert Bake, delivering town reports	4.00
Bakie Bros., paint and shingles for tool house..	10.86
Frank N. Simes, repairing pump at W. Kingston	2.38
George B. Stevens, Workmen's comp. Ins.....	155.85
Walter E. Webster, care of town clock	18.00
Percy Wadleigh, land for dump	50.00
Labor on dump	36.85
Roland W. Cheney, roofing for tool house.....	48.77
Alden Nason, hauling wood to library.....	7.00
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	\$469.41

Libraries

Appropriation	\$420.00
Tax by law, 1937	38.70
Tax by law, 1938	38.70
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	\$497.40

Memorial Day and Other Celebrations

G. E. Rundlett, flags	\$12.00
Centennial celebration	103.83
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	\$115.83

Parks and Playgrounds

Herbert Bake, shingling bandstand	\$19.50
Roland Cheney, shingles for bandstand	22.00
Irving Nason, mowing plains	35.00
Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co., electricity for band- stand	4.54
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	\$81.04

Cemeteries

Frank Simes, pump	\$6.05
Trustees of Trust Fund, from Nellie P. Marshall Estate	100.00
Edward Simes, mowing cemetery	9.60
Arthur Elwood, mowing cemetery	9.60
Edward Simes, cutting up tree	2.50
Alfred J. Lyford, mowing cemetery	6.00
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	\$133.75
Received from estate of Nellie P. Marshall	100.00
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Net cost	\$33.75

Damages and Legal Expenses

Frank Nay, names of deceased	\$0.40
John Green, recording deeds	114.65
John Perkins, legal expenses	58.30
George Shaw, costs of advertising and selling taxes	154.37
Clinton Avery, day at court	4.00
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	\$331.72

W. P. A. (Road Work)

George B. Stevens, sponsor	\$429.00
Arthur Tucker, blasting	22.52
Wendall Nason, trucking	59.00
Eugene Nason, foreman	29.88
Wilbert Swett, trucking	9.00
Bakie Bros., tools and supplies	33.14
John B. Varick, dynamite	42.50
George Kimball & Sons, blasting caps	5.00
Frank Simes, sharpening drills	7.10
Effie Brown, damages from blasting	7.61
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	\$644.75

W. P. A. (Sewing)

William Reynolds, janitor	18.60
Wilbert Swett, hauling wood	2.50
U. S. Treasurer, material for sewing	127.00
Morley Button Co., supplies	1.25
Kaplow Trimming Co., material	4.00
L. J. Carlton, thread	11.22
W. S. Clark & Sons, supplies	1.23
Bakie Bros., merchandise	5.66
Bertha Page, cleaning hall	1.20
Inez George, supplies	3.10
Mary Mace, rent of toilet	12.00

187.76

Ernest Nason, hauling wood	111.00
Wilbert Swett, hauling wood	12.00
Town of Danville	50.00

\$173.00

\$1,005.51

Received from State Treasurer, rebate on W. P. A.	\$35.50
Received from Selectmen, sale of dynamite	8.75
Received from George B. Stevens, salary as Director of W. P. A. work ..	390.50
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	\$434.75

Net cost \$570.76
Interest

Rockingham Nat'l Bank, interest on note	\$213.34
Haverhill Nat'l Bank, interest on note	285.00
Trustees of the Trust Funds, interest on Elkins Fund	44.10
Distribution of Interest on Parsonage Fund:	
Universalist Society	102.03

Congregational Society	96.66
Methodist Society	24.57
Baptist Society	41.58
Free Will Baptist Society	39.16
Christian Church	8.00
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	\$854.44

DIRECT RELIEF

February 1, 1938 to February 1, 1939

Name; Married or Single; No. in Family; Amt. of Relief

Fred Beede, single	\$85.20
Katie Brown	192.00
John N. Brown, married; five	14.00
Harry Bart Carter, two	25.00
James Chamberlain, three	37.75
Horace Chubbuck, three	23.00
Albert Cheney, three	6.00
Leon Collins, six	24.00
John Davis, single	408.16
Mrs. Archie George, single	119.83
Calvin George, married; four	280.47
Florence George, single	61.00
Luther Graham, married; three	4.00
Mrs. Robert Hardy	126.70
Lora Hemenway, single	3.00
Charles Hutch, single	2.15
Charles Kelley, married; two	18.00
Francis Lyford, married; two	234.33
Maurice Maillette, single	108.50
Granville Monroe, single	41.40
Iona Page, married; three	41.75
Henry West, married; eight	57.00
Lewis Whitney, married; three	9.75
Edward Merrill, single	14.42
Orrin Holden (OAA), single	73.10
Sadie Silloway, two	1.25
Emily Silloway, (OAA)	1.25
Mary Eastman, (OAA)	1.25

\$2,014.26

Paid To:

Alden Nason, for hauling wood....	\$26.00	
Wilbert Swett, for hauling wood..	36.00	
Wendell Nason, for hauling wood..	36.00	
Wilbert Swett, for sawing wood...	7.50	
Ralond Cheney, roofing for Warren		
Clarke's house	9.60	
Frank W. Foster, roofing for War-		
ren Clarke's house	5.75	
Merle Simes, labor on Warren		
Clarke's house	10.10	
Effie Brown, for 8 cds. of wood..	40.00	
Leon Collins, for cutting wood....	11.60	
Edward Simes, for repairing Mrs.		
Eastman's chimney	7.50	
Laburton Cilley, salary	75.00	
Laburton Cilley, expenses	18.46	
Frank Cavaric, care of tramps....	58.80	
Other payments	146.16	
		488.47
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		\$2,502.73

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

The persons named below received old age assistance for which the town paid the amount as shown. State and Federal assistance was also included in the total amount of aid rendered in addition to the amount shown below:

Albert Ball	Blanche A. Kimball	
George Bartlett	Hannah McComb	
Ellen M. Buzzell	James McComb	
Alphonse Dominick	Mary Minard	
Alice Dyson	Granville Monroe	
Mary A. Eastman	Georgianna Parker	
Ella Flanders	Mary Peaslee	
Philip Flanders	Elizabeth Sanborn	
Everard Goldthwaite	Patrick Shaw	
Charles B. Hatch	George H. Sleeper	
E. Andrew Heath	Orrin Holden	
Town's share		\$1,332.35

ANNUAL REPORT
OF
ROAD CONSTRUCTION
AND
MAINTENANCE
FOR THE
Year Ending January 31, 1939
FOR THE
TOWN OF KINGSTON
R. W. CHENEY, Agent

Summary

Town Maintenance	\$2,156.93
Tarvia	2,971.65
Snow	339.46
Kelley Road	242.64
North Danville Road	182.93

Town Maintenance

Roland Cheney, Agent	253.24
Roland Cheney, team	29.50
Wilbert Swett, truck	197.79
Calvin George, truck	126.11
Wendall Nason, truck	77.78
William A. Modlich, truck	43.32
Wilbert Swett, driving tractor	84.50
John Barrett, labor	161.60
Edgar Graham, labor	147.40
Samuel Labelle, labor	171.00
Kenneth Merrill, labor	37.20
Alden Nason, labor	76.00

Alden Nason, truck	26.67
Daniel Swett, labor	94.40
George Simes, labor	32.80
Wilfred George, labor	24.20
Fred Kelley, labor	23.20
Merle Simes, labor	11.60
Rex Willey, labor	10.40
Eugene Nason, labor	3.80
Lance Silloway, labor	9.20
John Simes, labor	12.40
Henry West, labor	3.60
Frank Bernaby, labor	2.00
Walter Morse, labor	2.00
Edward Simes, labor	1.60
Michael Fernello, labor	2.00
Roy Gove, labor	10.80
David Cheney, labor	11.60
Ferris Clements, labor	1.00
Clifford Moore, labor	7.80
Paul Pray, labor	10.18
Ernest Nason, labor	1.00
Harold Nason, team	3.30
Nashua Iron Foundry Co.	9.00
Barger Metal Culvert Co.	70.91
W. S. Clark and Sons, gas and supplies	90.78
W. F. Whittier, gas	19.23
R. C. Hazelton, parts and labor on tractor	68.75
C. P. Carson, labor on tractor	9.25
R. W. Cheney, bridge plank and lumber	79.02
R. W. Cheney, gravel	6.00
Irving Nason, gravel	20.30
Harold Nason, gravel	10.00
Florence George, gravel	10.20
Mulligan and Currier, tools	51.49
Frank Portors, sharpening tools	1.00
Total	<hr/> \$2,156.93

Tarvia

Roland Cheney, agent	\$153.80
Wilbert Swett, truck	231.53
Wendall Nason, truck	53.33
Calvin George, truck	183.38
Errol Rolfe, truck	40.00
Conrad Marcotte, truck	45.00
Samuel Labelle, labor	95.80
John Barrett, labor	89.80
Edgar Graham, labor	87.40
Alden Nason, labor	63.00
George Simes, labor	10.00
Merle Simes, labor	6.40
Kenneth Merrill, labor	82.40
Wilfred George, labor	68.40
James Burke, labor	67.20
Leslie Page, labor	27.20
Edward Strickland, labor	34.40
Michael Ferrullo, labor	15.20
Lance Silloway	32.80
Henry West, labor	27.60
Robert Roch, labor	9.20
Henry George, labor	4.00
Franklin Swett, labor	4.00
Norman Ladiux, labor	10.00
Roy Gove, labor	4.40
Daniel Swett, labor	7.20
Eugene Nason, labor	3.60
Raymond Labelle, labor	3.60
Wilfred West, labor	3.60
Charles Martin, labor	6.00
William Ferrullo, labor	2.80
Arthur Tucker, sand	5.50
Florence George, sand	41.70
Simeon Clark, funnel	2.00
Roland Cheney, telephone .....	.65

Koppers Co., tar	35.14
Am. Oil Products Co.	1,538.11

Total	\$3,096.14
Received for Tarvia sold and applied	124.49

Total	\$2,971.65
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Snow

Roland Cheney, Agent	\$71.82
Roland Cheney, mileage	3.25
Roland Cheney, telephone65
Paul Pray	53.84
Wilbert Swett, truck	27.11
Conrad Marcotte, truck and blade	8.75
R. C. Hazelton Co. attaching blade	23.66
Frank Portors, welding	16.50
Arthur Reynolds, labor	1.00
Franklin Simes, labor	1.00
Masim Simes, labor	10.00
Henry West, labor .....	.80
George Stevens, labor	3.00
George Simes, labor	1.20
Clifford Moore, labor	1.80
John Barrett, labor	1.20
Alden Nason, labor	6.80
Beverly Chamberlin, labor	3.50
Fenis Clements, labor	10.00
Edgar Graham, labor	12.80
Samuel Labelle, labor	8.80
Daniel Swett, labor	10.20
Richard Beals, labor	8.40
Edward Simes, labor	5.60
Suther Graham, labor	3.00
Florence George, sand	2.40
Arthur Tucker, sand	4.70
W. S. Clark & Sons, gas and supplies	10.13

Insurance on tractor and snow plow	27.60
Total	<u>\$339.46</u>

Kelley Road

Roland Cheney, Agent	\$34.65
Wilbert Swett, truck	25.55
Calvin George, truck	34.44
Ernest Nason, team	13.50
Samuel Labelle, labor	11.20
John Barrett, labor	14.80
Edgar Graham, labor	16.40
Kenneth Merrill, labor	19.20
Wilfred George, labor	17.80
Alden Nason, labor	5.60
Henry West, labor	18.40
Lance Silloway	6.00
James Burke	12.00
Michael Ferrullo	7.20
Florence George	5.90
Total	<u>\$242.64</u>

North Danville Road

Roland Cheney, Agent	\$21.45
Wilbert Swett, truck	22.78
Calvin George, truck	20.00
Samuel Labelle, labor	14.40
John Barrett, labor	14.40
Edgar Graham, labor	14.40
Alden Nason, labor	10.80
Kenneth Merrill, labor	14.40
Wilfred George, labor	14.40
Michael Ferrullo, labor	14.40
Edward Strichland, labor	10.80
Irving W. Nason, gravel	10.70
Total	<u>\$182.93</u>

Town Truck

Purchase Price	\$650.00
W. S. Clark, gas, oil and supplies ..	107.68
Paul Pray, labor	3.20
David Cheney, labor	2.00
Frank Portors, welding	9.70
Summerfields garage	2.95
George Stevens, insurance	59.00

 \$834.53
Income

Received from State	\$320.13	
Trucking for town snow .. 82 hrs		
Town maintenance	8 hrs	
Road to dump	5 hrs	
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	95 hrs	\$104.50
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Total		\$424.63
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		\$409.90

Report of Trust Funds for the Town of Kingston, N. H., for the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1939

Date of Cre- ation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Begin- ning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1828	Elkins School Fund, Thomas Elkins...	Note—Town of Kingston	\$1,260.00	3½ %	.....	\$44.10	\$44.10	.....
1886	Edward Sanborn Fund, Est. E. S. San- born	Savings Banks	2,000.00	2½ %	2.69	53.31	56.00	.....
1897	Nichols Library Fund, J. H. Nichols...	Chit. Ind. & Lou. Ry. Bonds...	1,000.00	"	.....	.....	.....	.....
1909	Clemantine Bassett Fund	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	4.47	3.02	2.50	4.99
1909	Josiah Bartlett Fund, Mrs. L. G. Conner	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	"	29.32	4.76	4.00	30.08
1909	W. A. Patten Fund, Est. W. A. Patten	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	"	3.23	2.75	2.50	3.48
1911	Alcos R. Ingdam Fund, Est. A. R. Ing-	Manchester Savings Bank	50.00	"	.68	1.08	1.00	.76
1911	William T. Webster Fund, J. P. Mar-	Manchester Savings Bank	50.00	"	1.16	1.18	1.00	1.34
1911	Herbert W. Marshall Fund, Est. H. W.	Manchester Savings Bank	200.00	"	10.80	5.72	5.00	11.52
1912	Alfred Towle Fund, A. Towle	Manchester Savings Bank	75.00	"	3.27	2.12	1.75	3.64
1912	G. B. and L. G. Hoyt Fund, G. B.	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	"	.84	2.77	2.50	1.11
1916	Rosea Bartlett Fund, Grace P. Bartlett	Manchester Savings Bank	50.00	"	1.53	1.06	.50	2.09
1920	Julia F. Webster Fund, Will J. F. Web-	Manchester Savings Bank	200.00	"	8.54	4.94	4.50	8.98
1921	Moses P. French Fund, Annie L. French	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	"	3.56	2.30	2.00	3.86
1921	Herman A. Pevere Fund, Est. H. A.	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	"	5.58	2.69	4.50	3.77
1921	Nathaniel Brown Fund, W. L. G.	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	"	4.88	2.60	2.00	5.48
1921	Brown	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	"	3.74	2.41	2.00	4.15
1921	Paul C. Nason Fund, L. A. Lowry....	Manchester Savings Bank		"				

1921	W. M. Gilmore Fund, Est. W. M. Gilmore	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	3%	5.72	2.51	5.00	3.23
1922	Stephen R. Carter Fund, Emily J. Green	Manchester Savings Bank	75.00	"	3.18	1.82	1.50	3.50
1922	Richard Davis Fund, Harriet Davis	Manchester Savings Bank	50.00	"	1.97	1.08	.50	2.55
1922	Herbert B. Richardson Fund, Ida Richardson	Manchester Savings Bank	50.00	"	.76	1.04	.50	1.30
1923	Rallins & Pillsbury, H. M. Hornbech	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	"	4.00	2.41	2.00	4.41
1923	Mary E. Gale Fund, Will M. E. Gale	Manchester Savings Bank	300.00	"	17.53	7.60	7.00	18.13
1940	Frank Munroe Fund, Est. F. Munroe	Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	"	7.30	3.23	3.00	7.53
1923	Albert F. Nason Fund, A. F. Nason	Manchester Savings Bank	50.00	"	2.76	1.58	1.50	2.84
1923	Elizabeth S. Stevens Fund, E. S. Stevens	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	"	4.78	2.25	2.00	5.03
1923	Edward L. Philbrick Fund, Sarah J. Philbrick	Mechanics Savings Bank	50.00	"	1.40	1.06	1.00	1.46
1923	John L. Webster Fund, J. L. Webster	Mechanics Savings Bank	50.00	"	8.09	1.34	.....	9.43
1923	Prescott & Berry Fund, Heirs R. L. Prescott	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	"	2.49	2.25	2.00	2.74
1924	Wesley A. Bragdon Fund, Lillian Bragdon	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	"	3.20	2.49	2.00	3.69
1924	Charles W. R. Smith Fund, C. W. R. Smith	Mechanics Savings Bank	185.00	"	9.29	3.87	5.50	7.66
1924	Ellen J. Hoyt Fund, Est. E. J. Hoyt	Mechanics Savings Bank	80.00	"	3.38	1.74	1.50	3.62
1924	Daniel C. Bean Fund, Heirs D. C. Bean	Mechanics Savings Bank	100.00	"	4.87	2.34	2.00	5.21
1925	Alcena E. Eastman Fund, Est. A. E. Eastman	Mechanics Savings Bank	200.00	"	12.83	4.79	4.00	13.62
1926	James Philbrick Fund, Heirs J. Philbrick	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	"	2.63	1.12	1.00	2.75
1926	Elizabeth A. Carlton Fund, Will E. A. Carlton	Amoskeag Savings Bank	1,000.00	"	135.82	27.63	5.00	158.45
1926	Samuel J. Spofford Fund, Est. S. J. Spofford	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	"	2.76	2.18	2.00	2.94
1927	Dora Hunt Fund, Mabel Hunt	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	"	3.78	2.25	2.00	4.03
1927	Flora A. Bakie Fund, W. A. and W. G. Bakie	Amoskeag Savings Bank	75.00	"	4.32	1.70	1.00	5.02
1928	Elmer C. Carter Fund, Will E. C. Carter	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	"	13.30	3.43	3.00	13.73
1928	Asa M. Bradley Fund, A. M. Bradley	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	"	3.14	2.17	2.00	3.31
1928	Mary S. Goodrich Fund, Grace M. Goodrich	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	"	3.14	2.15	2.00	3.29

1929	Martha A. Sanborn Fund, Est. M. A. Sanborn	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	3%	15.38	3.49	3.00	15.87
1931	Clara E. Chase Fund, Charles S. Chase	Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	"	14.50	4.95	4.50	14.95
1928	Enoch B. Judkins Fund, Est. E. B. Judkins	Amoskeag Savings Bank	75.00	"	2.78	1.61	1.50	2.89
1928	Frank A. Woodman Fund, Est. F. A. Woodman	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	"	2.99	2.15	2.00	3.14
Jennie A. Marshall	Marshall Fund, J. A. Marshall	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	"	3.48	1.13	1.00	3.61
1929	Abbel Wood Fund, F. F. Wood	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	"	3.14	2.15	2.00	3.29
1930	Carrie B. Frost Fund, Della Frost	Amoskeag Savings Bank	75.00	"	3.00	1.61	1.50	3.41
1930	Alphonse Dominick Fund, A. Dominick	Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	"	3.38	2.95	2.00	4.33
1931	Charles C. Rogers Fund, Est. C. C. Rogers	Amoskeag Savings Bank	75.00	"	22.58	1.61	1.50	22.69
1931	Nathaniel Cheney Fund, Mary C. Reed	New Hampshire Savings Bank	30.00	2½%	1.62	.78	.75	1.65
1931	John P. Seaver Fund, N. G. Burrill	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	"	4.24	2.60	3.00	3.84
1931	Horace J. French Fund, H. J. French	New Hampshire Savings Bank	500.00	"	24.52	13.10	17.39	20.23
1932	Caroline W. Collins Fund, Will C. W. Collins	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	"	12.73	2.80	.....	15.53
1932	Ida F. Prescott Fund, Est. I. F. Prescott	New Hampshire Savings Bank	50.00	"	1.96	1.28	1.25	1.99
1933	Susan D. Wadleigh Fund, Sarah F. Tilton	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	100.00	"	.95	2.52	2.50	.97
1933	Charles P. Leach Fund, C. P. Leach	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	75.00	"	.86	1.89	1.75	1.00
1933	Edward L. Cheney Fund, E. L. Cheney	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	100.00	"	.34	2.51	2.50	.35
1934	W. W. Hunt Fund, W. W. Hunt	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	150.00	"	2.04	3.81	3.75	2.10
1935	Leo and Neva Judkins Fund, Neva A. Judkins	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	100.00	"	1.06	2.53	2.50	1.09
1935	John L. Webster Fund, Clara Webster	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	50.00	"	2.91	1.31	3.00	1.22
1935	Stephen F. Nichols Fund, Clara Webster	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	100.00	"	2.85	2.57	2.50	2.92
1936	Fred and Grace Corlum Fund, F. M. Corlum	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	100.00	"	1.03	2.53	2.50	1.06
1936	George M. Bakie Fund, G. M. Bakie	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	100.00	"	.....	2.49	2.00	.49
1937	Daniel Wadleigh Fund, Horace J. French	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	100.00	"	.....	.....	.....	.....
1938	Frank Welch Fund, Mrs. Frank Welch	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	100.00	"	.....	.....	.....	.....
1938	Nellie P. Marshall Fund, will Nellie P. Marshall	Exeter Banking Co., Sav. Dept.	100.00	"	.....	.....	.....	.....

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ROLAND W. CHENEY,

THOMAS TRACY,

FRANK CAVARIC, *Trustees.*

Trustees

February 16, 1939

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk and Trustees of Trust Funds and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

WILBUR J. CLARK,
RUSSELL M. INGALLS,

February 17, 1939.

Auditors

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

Total number of books January 31, 1938	7,683
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Added during the year:

State of New Hampshire	3
Town of Kingston	101
Bought with money from fines	6
Mrs. Ruth Walters	1
Mrs. Walter Andrews	1
Mrs. Patterson	36
Mrs. Elliot	3
Mrs. Frank	10

8,844

Discarded	10
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8,834

Number of new cards given out	84
Total circulation, books and magazines	6,700
Adult fiction lent	3,438
Adult non-fiction lent	683
Juvenile fiction lent	1,200
Juvenile non-fiction lent	47
Number of magazines lent	1,332
Average number of magazines lent each week .	26
Average number of books lent each week	103
Number of weekly magazines subscribed to ...	4
Number of monthly magazines subscribed to ..	17

Respectfully submitted,

GLADYS M. MERRICK,
Librarian.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE NICHOLS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

For the Year Ending January 31st, 1939

Receipts

Balance at the close of the year	\$240.05
Received from Town Treasurer:	
Amount appropriated by the Town of Kingston	420.00
Library Tax, required by law	38.70
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Total receipts	\$698.75

Expenditures

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co., lights	\$22.76
Gladys Merrick, Librarian, salary for the year	104.00
Harry Clark, material and repairs	11.95
Franklyn Square Agency, magazines	31.85
H. R. Huntting Co., books for library	153.58
E. H. Kimball, sawing wood	8.75
Wesley Robie, janitor	43.25
R. W. Cheney, kindling wood	1.00
Goodman's Book Store, book	2.00
O. K. Gilson, work on grounds	6.25
H. E. Cheney, Postmaster, stamped envelopes	1.62
John Templetton, Exeter News-Letter	3.00
Neal Printing Co., Rebinding books	20.32
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Total Expenditures	\$410.33
Cash on Hand	\$288.42
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	\$698.75

Respectfully submitted,

CHRISTIE BARRETT,

Treasurer.

Approved:

Z. WILLIS KEMP,

HELEN J. ANDREWS,

Trustees.

ANNUAL REPORTS
of the
SCHOOL DISTRICT
of
KINGSTON, N. H.
For the Year
1937-1938

OFFICERS OF KINGSTON SCHOOL DISTRICT

1938 - 1939

School Board

G. AUSTIN KEMP, Chairman, Term expires 1939

GLADYS MERRICK, Term expires 1940

ANDREW CHRISTIE, Term expires 1941

Superintendent of Schools

HAROLD C. BOWLEY

Treasurer

GEORGE B. STEVENS

Moderator

Z. WILLIS KEMP

Clerk

MRS. EUNICE CLARK

Auditor

MARY R. CHAMBERLIN

Attendance Officer

ARTHUR TUCKER

School Nurse

MRS. CONSTANCE COOPER, R. N.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of
Kingston, qualified to vote in district affairs :*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Kingston Town Hall in said district on the 11th day of March, 1939 at 8 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects :

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officers and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligation of the district, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.
9. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Kingston, this 16th day
of January, 1939.

G. AUSTIN KEMP,
GLADYS MERRICK,
ANDREW CHRISTIE,
School Board.

SCHOOL BOARD BUDGET

From July 1, 1939 to June 30, 1940

To be voted on at annual school meeting March 11
1939, at 8 P. M.

Teachers' salaries	\$5,016.00
Textbooks	200.00
Scholars' supplies	225.00
Flags and appurtenances	10.00
Other expenses of instruction	25.00
Janitor service	210.00
Fuel	300.00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	125.00
Minor repairs and expenses	200.00
Health supervision	313.00
Transportation of pupils	1,260.00
Other special activities	50.00

Total for support of schools	7,934.00
Deduct State aid	\$2,500.00
Deduct Elkins fund income	44.10
Deduct dog licenses	150.00

2,694.10

Balance for support of schools to be raised by district tax	5,239.90
Salaries of district officers	116.00
Superintendent's excess salary	266.66
Truant officers, school census	30.00
Expenses of administration	50.00
High school tuitions	3,995.00

New equipment	50.00
Per capita tax (\$2 per pupil)	256.00

Grand total to raise by district tax for all
school purposes \$10,003.56

Respectfully submitted,

G. AUSTIN KEMP,
GLADYS M. MERRICK,
ANDREW CHRISTIE,

January 16, 1939

School Board

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1937 to June 30, 1938

Receipts

Cash on hand, July 1, 1937	\$39.53
Equalization fund	2,541.31
District tax for:	
Support of elementary school	3,843.77
Payment of high school tuition	4,335.00
Salaries of district officers	116.00
Payment of per capita tax	280.00
Special appropriations	652.50
Balance of previous appropriations	1,272.73
Income from Elkins fund	44.10
Sale of property	3.00
Other Receipts	40.20
Total receipts	\$13,168.14

Payments

Salaries of district officers	\$116.00
George B. Stevens	\$30.00
G. Austin Kemp	30.00
Gladys Merrick	300.00
R. Grace Bartlett	20.00
Mary Chamberlain	3.00
Eunice L. Clark	3.00
Superintendents salary	250.00
Truant Officer and school census ..	30.00
Arthur Tucker	30.00
Expense of administration	85.92
Edson C. Eastman Co., vouchers and fund book	20.35

Harold C. Bowley, union expenses	17.37	
Paul Pray, janitor at Town Hall	20.00	
George B. Stevens, stamps	3.00	
George B. Stevens, bond ex.	10.00	
Gladys M. Merrick, stamps . . .	1.15	
J. L. Hammett	3.25	
Milton Bradley Co.	10.80	
Principal's and teachers' salaries . .		4,995.00
Isabelle Magnusson	1,000.00	
Alice Allard	1,000.00	
Charlotte Goodwin	1,000.00	
Edna Grierson	875.00	
Jeanette Saigh	875.00	
Textbooks		145.69
Scholars' supplies		149.97
Flags and appurtenances		12.00
Other expenses of instruction		24.27
Janitor service		210.00
Paul Clark	42.00	
Donald Clark	42.00	
Ralph Nason	42.00	
Iona Page	44.00	
Wallace Swett	40.00	
Fuel		214.95
Howard W. Steeves, wood . .	22.50	
Edward Kimball, sawing wood	35.25	
Hayden E. Cheney, coal	74.00	
Town of Kingston, wood	82.45	
Donald Clark, piling up wood .	.75	
Water, light, janitor supplies		163.86
Exeter and Hampton Elec. Co.	54.48	
Janitor supplies	109.38	
Minor repairs and expenses		\$175.93
Paul Pray, moving stove	\$1.00	
Roy E. Gove, labor	22.70	

Mrs. Roy Gove, cleaning school-house	5.00	
Mrs. Grace Goldthwaite, cleaning two schoolhouses and other work	15.00	
Mrs. David Cheney, cleaning two schoolhouses	10.00	
W. A. Marple, mowing school-yard	1.50	
Ulysses Page, cleaning vaults ..	5.00	
David Cheney, painting	66.30	
Walter S. Sargent, mowing and raking	6.50	
Walter P. Merrick, cleaning and repairing vaults	12.00	
Harry S. Clark, labor	5.00	
Bakie Bros., bill rendered	3.80	
Walter Wilber, bill rendered	3.00	
Walter Chubbuck,, repairs	2.75	
Richard West, labor	1.50	
W. G. Scovell, tuning pianos ..	14.00	
J. L. Hammett, school supplies	.88	
Medical inspection		233.72
Constance Cooper, R. N., school nurse	233.72	
Transportation of pupils		1,288.80
I. W. Nason, carrier	1,288.80	
High School and academy tuitions .		4,096.33
Sanborn Seminary	4,019.71	
Haverhill High School	76.62	
Other special activities		19.69
\$2 per capita tax for the state .		280.00
Alteration of old buildings		432.68
Roy E. Gove, labor on two floors	74.00	

John J. Barrett, labor on two floors	75.04
Roland Cheney, lumber	253.39
W. S. Clark and Sons, paint ..	30.25
New equipment	2.04
Scott Foresman	1.04
J. L. Hammett Co.	1.00
Insurance	222.50
Total cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1938	18.79
Total payments	<u>\$13,168.14</u>

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Kingston, N. H., of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

MARY R. CHAMBERLAIN,
Auditor.

July 16, 1938.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1938

Cash on hand June 30, 1937	\$39.53
Received from Selectmen appropriations	10,500.00
Received from Trustees Trust Fund	44.10
Received from State Treasurer	2,541.31
Received from other sources	43.20

Total amount	\$13,168.14
Less School Board orders	13,149.35

Balance on hand June 30, 1938	\$18.79
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GEORGE B. STEVENS,
Treasurer.

July 14, 1938.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Kingston, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938, and find them correct in all respects.

MARY R. CHAMBERLAIN,
Auditor.

July 16, 1938.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Kingston:

I herewith present my twelfth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

Supervision

My primary duty should concern the welfare of the children in your schools. My philosophy is dependent upon that function. The supervision and improvement of instruction naturally come to mind as the first essentials whether they come from the introduction of a new textbook, advice to the teachers or school problems or absolute direction to perform certain tasks. Four of your teachers remain in the service from last year, the only change being at the Plains School where Miss Elaine Cheney is now at work in place of Miss Grierson. It is creditable to note that your teachers are constantly asking for whatever aid I am able to render. I trust that this aid and support is indirectly helpful to the pupils.

We must look to the results to determine the value of instruction. Among the one hundred ten pupils in your schools at the close in June 1938, one hundred six were promoted or, 96.3%. In other words, it was found that less than 4% were in need of or could profit by remaining in the same grade for another year. I believe this is a splendid record but not an unusual one in your schools. Last year's graduation class of thirteen will serve as another example of accomplishments. Along with the other 73 graduates of the eighth grade in this Union, these pupils took the Metropolitan Achievement Tests, Advanced Form. Twelve of them exceeded their grade standard and one equalled that standard. Suffice it to say that I am proud of them for these

results. As a further example of parental co-operation and pupil interest, I am pleased to list the following pupils who were perfect in attendance during 1937-38:

Pupil	Parent
Shirley Corson	Charles Corson
Leonard Philbrick	Mrs. Wing
Norma Bake	Ralph Bake
James Cornish	Glen Cornish
Betty Corson	Charles Corson
Lois Stevens	Edward Stevens
Joan Walters	Mrs. Ruth Walters
Walter Clark	Ernest Clark
Gladys Cornish	Glen Cornish
Doris Foster	Frank Foster
Francis Swallow	Leslie Swallow
Warren George	Walter George
Preston Cheney	David Cheney
Florence George	Walter George
John Simes	George Simes
John Page	Norris Page
Wilma Marple	William Marple

As the parent is more often as much responsible as the child, his name is added as extra credit.

The information which now follows gives a brief summary of statistical data about the school year, 1937-38.

*Average percentage of attendance	94.55
Number of pupils enrolled	127
Average membership	113.49
Number of graduates	13
Number of graduates entering High School Sept., '38	12
Other pupils in High School now	41
Visits by School Board	20
Visits by Superintendent	114
Visits by School Nurse	178
Visits by Music Teacher	171
Visits by others	328

*State Average, 1937-38—95.13.

Graduates of Eighth Grade

Betty Brown	Hazel Nason
Marion Clark	Marjorie Nason
Shirley Corson	Madeline Page
Doris Foster	Constance Stukas
Richard Friend	Frances Swallow
Ethel King	Viola West

Dorothy Nason

Finance

My secondary duty has to do with finance and the general operation of the physical plant. In a large Union such as this, too often this function comes ahead of the first ideal, supervision. Yet certain situations must be faced and problems solved. Required reports must be finished on time, meetings held to review needs, plans made to meet conditions. Much time must be spent to determine the means for satisfying these needs by long-time planning. That is one of the School Board's duties and mine just now, and a rather difficult one it is due to the length of time in advance before the spending occurs as well as the uncertainties of high school tuition, caused by frequent shifts in family residence. Every budget presented to you must foresee the demands of a year or more in the future. This year's budget is no exception to this formula.

To show certain facts concerning the financial management of your schools I list the following information taken from recent releases of the State Board of Education. These indicate the financial burden and how well it is being done in comparison with other towns of this union.

*Per Pupil Costs of Elementary Schools 1937-38**Supervisory Union No. 14*

East Kingston	89.13
(State Median	79.98)
Kingston	76.27
Danville	74.13
Brentwood	69.06

South Hampton	67.78
Sandown	58.82
Fremont	55.10
*Epping	49.48
*Lowest in state.	

All School Costs Per \$1,000. Equalized Valuation

	Total	State Aid	Net
Danville	18.02	5.07	12.95
Epping	16.13	4.81	11.32
Sandown	15.71	2.90	12.81
South Hampton	15.48	4.97	10.51
East Kingston	15.34	3.47	11.87
Kingston	14.09	3.02	11.07
Brentwood	14.05	4.89	9.16
Fremont	11.95	2.48	9.47

Appreciation

I am very appreciative of the interest and activity of the School Board in their unselfish efforts to make your schools the best that available funds will allow. We have worked together for another year in harmony and for the best interests of the children.

I would like to express my gratitude for the co-operation of your citizens and parents. It is a privilege to serve. Horace Mann once said, "The Common School is the greatest discovery ever made by man." I am content that you realize the significance of this statement and join together to study and understand the problems of childhood and schools.

I would not forget the loyal service and the active efforts of the teachers. I give them my thanks for their support and diligence in meeting our plans for pupil welfare. They deserve the bulk of the credit.

Very respectfully,

HAROLD C. BOWLEY,

Superintendent of Schools.

January 31, 1939.

Health Supervision

Of the 111 pupils examined during the school year, 1937-1938, the following cases were found and treatments made:

	No. of Cases	No. of defects corrected
Underweight	11	8
Defective vision	8	8
Defective hearing	2	2
Nervous condition	3	3
Deformity	2	1
Defective teeth	52	50
Diseased tonsils	7	5
Defective breathing	3	3
Adenoids	7	5
Enlarged glands	7	5
Defective speech	2	1
Chicken pox	3	
Pediculosis	8	
Skin diseases	23	
Mumps	8	
Whooping cough	14	

Report of Dental Clinic

No. pupils examined by dentist	80
Total No. pupils needing extractions	8
Total No. pupils with cavities	64
Total No. pupils needing teeth cleaned	58
Total No. extractions	11
Total No. cement fillings	4
Total No. amalgam fillings	150
Total No. porcelain fillings	13

The dental clinic was conducted by Dr. L. H. Evans and was financed by the Parent-Teachers' Association.

88 pupils were tested for hearing by Audiometer. One was found to have hearing loss in the left ear and one in both ears. The former case received treatment for removal of wax and the latter was examined by Doctors Reid and Togus, and treatments arranged.

Money from the Red Cross and other sources allowed corrections for tonsillectomies, glasses, medical advice and treatment.

CONSTANCE COOPER, R.N.

Vital Statistics

Births Recorded in the Town of Kingston, New Hampshire, for the Year Ending January 31, 1939

Date 1938	Name of Child	Sex	No.	Living or Stillborn	Name and Birthplace of Father	Name and Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 20	Joseph E. Leate	M	5	L	George Leate Yarmouth, N. S.	Nellie McNeive Ayer Village, Mass.
Mar. 23	Martha A. Modlick	F	1	L	Walter R. Modlick Hyde Park, Mass.	Evelyn M. Thureau Derry, N. H.
July 25	Brenda J. Bragdon	F	1	L	Ernest P. Bragdon Kingston, N. H.	Doris L. Nye Mason, N. H.
Sept. 7	Carleton D. Clements	M	1	L	Chester H. Clements Everett, Mass.	Catherine Morse Exeter, N. H.
Oct. 23	— Carroll	F		S	Everett W. Carroll Merrimack, Mass.	Lois W. Bunker Sandown, N. H.
Nov. 10	Stanley G. Gove	M	1	L	John F. Gove Exeter, N. H.	Mildred M. Young Lowell, Mass.
Dec. 23	Carroll G. Robie	M	7	L	Morton E. Robie Chester, N. H.	Helen A. Page Kingston, N. H.
Sept. 8	Janice M. Yeskelevitch	F	2	L	Joseph Yeskelevitch Haverhill, Mass.	Amanda M. Sargent Springvale, Me.

Marriages Recorded in the Town of Kingston, New Hampshire, for the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1939

Date 1938	Name	Age	Name of Parents	Place of Marriage	By Whom Married
Jan. 28	Kenneth F. Douglas	25	Frank D. Douglas ... Lizzie M. Morse ...	Seabrook, N. H.	W. Raymond Pierce, Clergyman
	Doris Coe	21	Harry Coe ...		
May 1	George L. Cheney	50	Florence A. Pearl ... George W. Cheney ...	Pittsfield, N. H.	Henry Taylor, Clergyman
	Bertha W. Gale	43	Carrie Noyes ... Angus N. Wilbur ...		
May 12	Arthur R. Daniels	41	Sarah E. Shefelt ... Edward A. Daniels ...	Kingston, N. H.	Ralph H. Bake, Justice of the Peace
	Helen M. Chase	26	Alice Fraser ... Thurston S. Chase ...		
June 4	William L. G. Brown	30	Annie Jackson ... John N. Brown ...	Kingston, N. H.	E. Ray Burchell, Clergyman
	Alice M. Kent	24	Annie B. Tracy ... James A. Kent ...		
June 16	Lester C. Kelley	26	Anna B. Christian ... John F. Kelley ...	Kingston, N. H.	Ralph H. Bake, Justice of the Peace
	Margaret A. Wallace	24	Mary L. Donovan ... William Wallace ...		
June 17	Ralph L. Metcalf	20	Anna I. Feldman ... Charles L. Metcalf ...	Kingston, N. H.	Ralph H. Bake, Justice of the Peace
	Anna M. Oxtan	19	Florence E. Comean ... Charles A. Oxtan ...		
June 20	Alfred L. P. Messina	20	Anna M. Dawson ... Mario Messina ...	Kingston, N. H.	Z. Willis Kemp, Justice of the Peace
	Eileen J. McClary	18	Amelia Volpe ... Robert McClary ...		
			Laura Whelan ...		

June	20	Joshua W. Denton	59	Joshua Denton	Kingston, N. H.	E. Ray Burchell, Clergyman
		Eliza Lowcock		Eliza Lowcock		
		Enna J. Caldwell	31	Morand H. Caldwell		
Sept.	17	Mervin R. Jasper	24	Emma Fernandez	Fremont, N. H.	W. T. Shannon, Clergyman
		Edith A. George	19	Charles Jasper		
				Ethel M. Hartford		
Sept.	18	Carmen F. Struffolino	21	Walter M. George	Kingston, N. H.	Ralph H. Bake, Justice of the Peace
		Rose M. Dolce	18	Inez W. Tewksbury		
				Michael Struffolino		
Sept.	24	Walter Platkys	48	Millie Candilora	Kingston, N. H.	Z. Willis Kemp, Justice of the Peace
		Antonie Patlanowie	48	Louise Ligouri		
				Gabriel Platkys		
Sept.	25	Theodore Demetie	45	Mary Linkewie	Kingston, N. H.	Z. Willis Kemp, Justice of the Peace
		Frances L. Adams	25	Alec Cepukaities		
				Pauline Marcelinte		
Oct.	22	Harold J. Fairbanks	23	Demetie Govan		
		Helen L. O'Donnell	21	Charles W. Adams		
				Alta E. Edwards		
				Arthur Fairbanks		
				Lidia Hoffman		
				Edward A. O'Donnell		
				Pauline Roche		

Deaths Recorded in the Town of Kingston, New Hampshire, for the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1939

Date 1938	Name	Years	Months	Days	Birthplace	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Feb. 13	Horace B. Chubbuck	59	6	—	Scituate, Mass.	Daniel Chubbuck	Emma Stackpole
Mar. 10	Elmer A. Collins	67	5	25	Kingston, N. H.	Andrew J. Collins	Anna M. Smith
May 4	Susan J. Cooper	81	0	16	Newton, N. H.	William J. Fellows	—
July 31	Etta R. Wheelock	64	—	—	Bryant Pond, Me.	William G. Goltwaite	Etta R. Lawrence
Aug. 16	Eva Platukys	48	—	—	Lithuania	Michael Palasky	Mary Skripkinas
Sept. 8	Edward C. Martin	86	2	13	Ipswich, Mass.	Robert Martin	Lucy S. Clark
Mar. 30	Walter Senter	67	4	15	Derry, N. H.	Frank Senter	Mary E. Davis
July 3	Franciska Wicker	54	3	—	Poland	Wojciech Guschiora	Antonina Sudol
Aug. 12	Alberta B. Bagley	68	10	26	New Brunswick	Simon Bishop	Margaret Blackney
Sept. 11	Arthur H. Marshall	74	1	13	Kingston, N. H.	Samuel C. Marshall	Adeline Hurd
Sept. 15	John F. Tucker	86	3	13	Kingston, N. H.	Moses Tucker	Hannah Marden
Oct. 6	Maria Reinhold	81	1	28	Kingston, N. H.	Henry Davis	Sarah Kimball
Oct. 8	Ruth F. West	79	—	—	Kingston, N. H.	Nathan Nason	Sarah K. Page
Dec. 5	William W. Winslow	70	8	29	Kingston, N. H.	William Winslow	Eliza Silloway
Dec. 19	Eva M. Atherton	67	4	24	Boston, Mass.	Michael Sawyer	—
Dec. 29	Seth F. Nason	71	6	18	Kingston, N. H.	Nathan Nason	Sarah K. Page
1939							
Jan. 26	Cora B. Lang	79	6	13	Haverhill, Mass.	Raymond Fletcher	—

Brought to Kingston, New Hampshire, for Burial During the Year Ending January 31, 1939

Date 1938	Name of Deceased	Place of Death	Age		
			Years	Months	Days
Feb. 11	Edward Merrill	Brentwood, N. H.	72	8	1
Mar. 12	Mary S. Welch	Brentwood, N. H.	82	11	9
Apr. 2	Baby Jones	Epping, N. H.		Stillborn	
May 22	Fred S. Beede	Newton, N. H.	56	0	19
June 13	Merton E. Roberts	Georgetown, Mass.	0	0	1
Aug. 23	George H. Longstreet	Worcester, Mass.	58	11	3
Sept. 13	Arthur H. Marshall	Exeter, N. H.	74	1	0
Sept. 15	Lettie E. Tucker	Wolfeboro, N. H.	76	6	26
Oct. 9	Annie L. Rogers	Winthrop, Mass.	59	2	28
Oct. 18	Thomas H. Kimball	Groton, Mass.	70	7	1
Oct. 29	Emily Silloway	Brentwood, N. H.	83	9	15
Nov. 12	Lucius H. Woods	Saugus, Mass.	69	8	15
Dec. 7	William H. Winslow	Exeter, N. H.	70	8	29
Dec. 23	Ben K. Webster	Amesbury, Mass.	64	10	7

